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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

We claim:

Claim 1 (Presently Amended) An article of manufacture for care of contact lenses, comprising:

a container formed from poly (ethylene terephthalate) containing a composition comprising one or more surfactants and an ~~Alexidine~~-antimicrobial agent comprising 1,1' hexamethylene-bis[5-(2-ethylhexyl)biguanide.

Claim 2 (Presently Amended) The ~~composition~~article of claim 1 wherein said one or more surfactants are poloxamer surfactants or poloxamine surfactants or combinations thereof.

Claim 3 (Presently Amended) The ~~composition~~article of claim 1, wherein the composition further comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of a buffering agent, a chelating agent, an osmolarity adjusting agent, and a surfactant having a HLB of 18 or above.

Claim 4 (Presently Amended) The ~~composition~~article of claim 1, wherein said ~~Alexidine~~ antimicrobial agent is present in an amount effective to disinfect a contact lens.

Claim 5 (Presently Amended) The ~~composition~~article of claim 1 wherein the composition comprises about 0.1 to about 6.0 weight percent of said surfactant and about 0.05 to about 0.5 weight percent of said antimicrobial agent.

Claim 6 (Presently Amended) The ~~composition~~article of claim 1 wherein the composition further comprises:

a chelating agent and a buffering agent selected from the group consisting borate buffers, phosphate buffers and citrate buffers.

Claim 7 (Presently Amended) The ~~composition~~article of claim 6, wherein the composition comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of poloxamer and poloxamine surfactants having HLB values of 18 or greater.

Claim 8 (Withdrawn) A method of enhancing biocidal efficacy of a lens care solution comprising:

packaging a lens care solution containing one or more surfactants and one or more antimicrobial agents in a container formed from poly(ethylene terephthalate).

Claim 9 (Withdrawn) A method of enhancing stability of a lens care solution comprising:

packaging a lens care solution containing one or more surfactants and one or more antimicrobial agents in a container formed from poly(ethylene terephthalate).

Claim 10 (Withdrawn) A method of increasing shelf-life of a lens care solution comprising:

packaging a lens care solution containing one or more surfactants and one or more antimicrobial agents in a container formed from poly(ethylene terephthalate).

Claim 11 (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, 9 or 10 wherein the solution further comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of a buffering agent, a chelating agent, an osmolarity adjusting agent, and a surfactant having a HLB value of 18 or greater.

Claim 12 (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, 9 or 10 wherein the solution further comprises an antimicrobial agent in an amount effective to disinfect a contact lens.

Claim 13 (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, 9 or 10 wherein the solution comprises about 0.05 to about 0.5 weight percent of said antimicrobial agent.

Claim 14 (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, 9 or 10 wherein the solution further comprises: a chelating agent and a buffering agent selected from the group consisting borate buffers, phosphate buffers and citrate buffers.

Claim 15 (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, 9 or 10 wherein the composition further comprises a surfactant having a HLB value of 18 or greater.

Claim 16 (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, 9 or 10 wherein the solution comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of poloxamer and poloxamine surfactants having a HLB value of 18 or greater.

Claim 17 (Withdrawn) The method of claim 8, 9 or 10 wherein said one or more surfactants are selected from the group consisting of Pluronic P123TM, Pluronic L42TM, Pluronic L62TM, Pluronic L72TM, Pluronic L92TM, Pluronic P103TM, Pluronic R 12R3TM, Pluronic R 17R1TM, Pluronic R 17R2TM, Pluronic R 31R1TM, Pluronic R 31R2TM, Pluronic R 31R4TM, Tetronic 701TM, Tetronic 702TM, Tetronic 901TM, Tetronic 1101TM, Tetronic 1102TM, Tetronic 1301TM, Tetronic 1302TM, Tetronic 1501TM, Tetronic 1502TM, Tetronic R 50R1TM, Tetronic R 50R4TM, Tetronic R 70R1TM, Tetronic R 70R2TM, Tetronic R 70R4TM, Tetronic R 90R1TM, Tetronic R 90R4TM, Tetronic R 110R1TM, Tetronic R 110R2TM, Tetronic R 110R7TM, Tetronic R 130R1TM, Tetronic R 130R2TM, Tetronic R 150R1TM, Tetronic R 150R4TM and Tetronic R 150R8TM.